STATE OF INDIANA DEPARTMENT OF ENVIRONMENTAL MANAGEMENT

PUBLIC NOTICE NO. 2000-2-D-F-P

DATE OF NOTICE: February 29, 2000

APPEAL DUE: March 18, 2000

The Office of Water Quality proposes the following permit actions listed below:

NPDES PERMIT ISSUED/MAJOR-MODIFICATION

CITY OF ELKHART WWTP, 1201 South Nappanee Street, Elkhart, Indiana, NPDES Permit No. IN0025674. The above-named applicant has applied for modification of their NPDES permit to discharge 20 million gallons per day of treated sanitary and industrial wastewater into St. Joseph River located in ELKHART COUNTY. The applicant operates a major municipal wastewater plant. Effluent parameters to be limited and/or monitored at Outfall No. 035: The city requested that their permit be modified to delete oil and grease testing and reporting requirements in the existing NPDES permit. This office has granted the city's request accordingly. Permit Writer: Mr. Gale Ferris at 317/232-8739.

NPDES PERMIT ISSUED/MINOR-NEW

SPENCER-OWEN COMMUNITY SCHOOL CORP., McCORMICK'S CREEK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL, near the intersection C.R. 350 East and C.R. 175 South, Spencer, Indiana, NPDES Permit No. IN0060577. The above-named applicant has applied for a new NPDES permit to discharge 0.02 million gallons per day of treated sanitary wastewater into McCormick's Creek located in OWEN COUNTY. The applicant operates a semi-public wastewater treatment plant. Effluent parameters to be limited and/or monitored at Outfall No. 001: flow,CBOD5, TSS, Ammonia-nitrogen, pH and E. coli. Permit Writer: Mr. Jay Hanko at 317/233-0470.

VISKASE CORPORATION,102 E. Bailie Street, Kentland, Indiana, NPDES Permit No. IN0060534. The above-named applicant has applied for a new NPDES permit to discharge .086 million gallons per day of non-contact cooling water into Railroad Ditch then to Montgomery Ditch then to Iroquois Ditch in NEWTON COUNTY. The applicant is a manufacturer of cellulose food casings and plastic specialty food packing products. Effluent parameters to be limited and/or monitored at Outfall No. 001: pH, oil and grease. Permit Writer: Mr. H.T. Pham at 317/233-8770.

NPDES PERMIT ISSUED/MINOR-RENEWAL

CF INDUSTRIES, INC.-FRANKFORT TERMINAL, Route 28 West of Jefferson, P.O. Box 606, Frankfort, Indiana, NPDES Permit No. IN0044245. The above-named applicant has applied for a renewal of their NPDES permit to discharge .56 million gallons per day of non-contact cooling water into Lick Run located in CLINTON COUNTY. The applicant stores and distributes anhydrous ammonia for agricultural use. Effluent parameters to be limited and/or monitored at Outfall No. 001: flow, oil and grease, temperature and Ammonia, as N. Permit Writer: Mr. H.T. Pham at 317/233-8770.

CONAGRA BEEF COMPANY, U.S. 231 N., Worthington, Indiana, NPDES Permit No. IN0109606. The above-named applicant has applied for a renewal of their NPDES permit to discharge .231 million gallons per day of wastewater from their meat cutting operation and stormwater runoff into Eel River located in GREENE COUNTY. The applicant operates a meat cutting plant. Effluent parameters to be limited and/or monitored at Outfall No. 001: flow, BOD5, TSS, Ammonia, Fecal coliform, oil and grease, total residual chlorine and pH. Permit Writer: Ms. Christina Lowry at 317/232-8707.

DEUTSCH KASE HAUS, INC., 11275 C. R. 250 N., Middlebury, Indiana, NPDES Permit No. IN0046825. The above-named applicant has applied for a renewal of their NPDES permit to discharge .074 million gallons per day of treated process wastewater into an Unnamed tributary to Mather Ditch located in LAGRANGE COUNTY. The applicant operates a dairy facility. Effluent parameters to be limited and/or monitored at Outfall No. 001 and 002: flow, BOD5, TSS, Ammonia-N, E. coli, oil and grease, dissolved oxygen, pH, and temperature. Permit Writer: Mr. Bill Stenner at 317/233-5961.

FRITO LAY, INC., 323 S. C. R. W.1 N., Worthington, Indiana, NPDES Permit No. IN0051624. The above-named applicant has applied for a renewal of their NPDES permit to discharge 1.88 million gallons per day of treated processed wastewater into the South Fork of Wildcat Creek located in CLINTON COUNTY. The applicant operates a corn and potato snack food manufacturing plant. Effluent parameters to be limited and/or monitored at Outfall No. 001 and 002: flow, pH, total suspended solids, CBOD5, oil and grease, Ammonia-N, phosphorous, dissolved oxygen and temperature. Permit Writer: Mr. Bill Stenner at 317/233-5961.

GASTON PUBLIC WATER SUPPLY, 600 W. Elm, Gaston, Indiana, NPDES Permit No. IN0050164. The above-named applicant has applied for a renewal of their NPDES permit to discharge .01 million gallons per day of filtered backwash into Pipe Creek located in DELAWARE COUNTY. The applicant operates a water treatment plant. Effluent parameters to be limited and/or monitored at Outfall No. 001: flow, pH, total suspended solids, and total iron.Permit Writer: Mr. Bill Stenner at 317/233-5961.

MONROE WATER DEPARTMENT, 102 S. Polk Street, Monroe, Indiana, NPDES Permit No. IN0048151. The above-named applicant has applied for a renewal of their NPDES permit to discharge .002 million gallons per day of treated filter backwash into Yellow Creek located in ALLEN COUNTY. The applicant operates a water treatment plant. Effluent parameters to be limited and/or monitored at Outfall No. 001: flow, pH, total suspended solids, total iron, and total residual solids. Permit Writer: Mr. Bill Stenner at 317/233-5961.

NPDES PERMIT ISSUED/MINOR-MODIFICATION

FORMER MOBIL OIL BULK STORAGE FACILITY, 3821 Indianapolis Blvd., East Chicago, Indiana, NPDES Permit No. IN0056910. The above-named applicant has applied for a modification of their NPDES permit for additional chemical additives to discharge from a water treatment plant in Monroe. The applicant operates a ground water remediation system. Permit Writer: Mr. Bill Stenner at 317/233-5961.